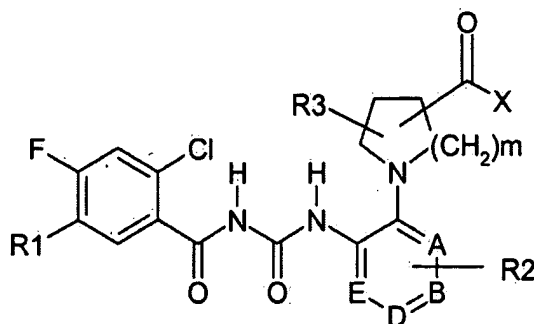


1 (currently amended). A compound of the formula I



I

wherein

R1, R2 are each independently H, F, Cl, Br, (C₁-C₆)-alkyl, CF₃, OCF₃, NO₂, CN, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, COO(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, COOH, CO-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, (C₀-C₆)-alkyl-COOH, (C₀-C₆)-alkyl-COO(C₁-C₆)-alkyl or SO₂-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl;

R3 is OH, (C₁-C₆)-alkyl, (C₀-C₆)-alkyl-aryl, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, O-(C₂-C₆)-alkenyl or O-(C₂-C₆)-alkynyl, wherein said (C₁-C₆)-alkyl, (C₀-C₆)-alkyl-aryl, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, O-(C₂-C₆)-alkenyl and O-(C₂-C₆)-alkynyl radicals are optionally mono- or polysubstituted by F, Cl or Br;

X is OH, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, NH₂, NH(C₁-C₆)-alkyl or N((C₁-C₆)-alkyl)₂;

~~A, B, D and E are each independently CH or N, with the proviso that at least one of groups A, B, D and E is N;~~

B, D and E are CH;

m is [[0, 1 or]] 2;

[[and]] or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt[[s]] thereof.

2 (currently amended). The compound of Claim 1 wherein:

R1, R2 are each independently H, F, Cl, Br, (C₁-C₆)-alkyl, CF₃, OCF₃, NO₂, CN, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, COO(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, COOH, CO-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, (C₀-C₆)-alkyl-COOH, (C₀-C₆)-alkyl-COO(C₁-C₆)-alkyl or SO₂-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl;

R3 is OH, (C₁-C₆)-alkyl, (C₀-C₆)-alkyl-aryl, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, O-(C₂-C₆)-alkenyl or O-(C₂-C₆)-alkynyl, wherein said (C₁-C₆)-alkyl, (C₀-C₆)-alkyl-aryl, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, O-(C₂-C₆)-alkenyl and O-(C₂-C₆)-alkynyl radicals are optionally mono- or polysubstituted by F, Cl or Br;

X is OH, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, NH₂, NH(C₁-C₆)-alkyl or N((C₁-C₆)-alkyl)₂;

~~A, B, D and E are each independently CH or N, with the proviso that at least one of groups A, B, D and E is N;~~

B, D and E are CH;

m is [[1 or]] 2;

[[and]] or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt[[s]] thereof.

3 (currently amended). The compound of Claim 2 wherein:

R1 is H or F;

R2 is each independently H, F, Cl, Br, (C₁-C₆)-alkyl, CF₃, OCF₃, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, COO(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, COOH, CO-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, (C₀-C₆)-alkyl-COOH, (C₀-C₆)-alkyl-COO(C₁-C₆)-alkyl or SO₂-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl;

R3 is OH, (C₁-C₆)-alkyl, (C₀-C₆)-alkyl-aryl, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, O-(C₂-C₆)-alkenyl or O-(C₂-C₆)-alkynyl, wherein said (C₁-C₆)-alkyl, (C₀-C₆)-alkyl-aryl, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, O-(C₂-C₆)-alkenyl and O-(C₂-C₆)-alkynyl radicals are optionally mono- or polysubstituted by F, Cl or Br;

X is OH, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, NH₂, NH(C₁-C₆)-alkyl or N((C₁-C₆)-alkyl)₂;

A is N;

B, D, E are each CH₃;

m is 1 or 2;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

4 (currently amended). The compound of Claim 3 wherein:

R₁ is H or F;

R₂ is H, Cl, (C₁-C₆)-alkyl, CF₃, COO(C₁-C₆)-alkyl or COOH,

R₃ is H or phenyl;

X is OH, O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, NH₂, NH(C₁-C₆)-alkyl or N((C₁-C₆)-alkyl)₂;

A is N;

B, D, E are each CH₃;

m is 2;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

5 (original). A pharmaceutical composition comprising one or more compounds of Claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

6-14 (canceled).